

(1) or (2) of subsection (c) of this section for the next election. It shall be an affirmative defense to a charge of failing to make a good faith effort to deliver a delegated form by the registration deadline that the delegatee informed the applicant that the form would not likely be delivered in time for the applicant to vote in the next election.

- (2) ~~It shall be a Class 2 misdemeanor for any person to~~ To sell or attempt to sell a completed voter registration form or to condition its delivery upon payment.
- (3) To change a person's information on a voter registration form prior to its delivery to a county board of elections.
- (4) To coerce a person into marking a party affiliation other than the party affiliation the person desires.
- (5) To offer a person a voter registration form that has a party affiliation premarked unless the person receiving the form has requested the premarking."

SECTION 16.(b) G.S. 163-274 is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:

"(14) For any person to commit any of the voter registration violations set forth in G.S. 163-82.6(a1)."

SECTION 16.(c) This section becomes effective December 1, 2007, and applies to any offense committed on or after that date.

SECTION 17.(a) G.S. 163-275 is amended by adding a new subdivision to read:

"(18) For any person, knowing that a person is not a citizen of the United States, to instruct or coerce that person to register to vote or to vote."

SECTION 17.(b) This section becomes effective December 1, 2007, and applies to any offense committed on or after that date.

SECTION 18. G.S. 163-82.14(c)(1) reads as rewritten:

- "(1) Report of Conviction Within the State. – The clerk of superior court, State Board of Elections, on or before the fifteenth day of every month, shall report to the county board of elections of that county the name, county of residence, and residence address if available, of each individual against whom a final judgment of conviction of a felony has been entered in that county in the preceding calendar month.~~Any county board of elections receiving such a report about an individual who is a resident of another county in this State shall forward a copy of that report to the board of elections of that county as soon as possible."~~

SECTION 19. G.S. 163-82.10(a) reads as rewritten:

"(a) Official Record. – The State voter registration system is the official voter registration list for the conduct of all elections in the State. A completed and signed registration application form, if available, described in G.S. 163-82.3, once approved by the county board of elections, becomes backup to the official registration record of the voter. Electronically captured images of the signatures of voters, full Full or partial social security numbers, dates of birth, the identity of the public agency at which the voter registered under G.S. 163-82.20, and drivers license numbers that may be generated in the voter registration process, by either the State Board of Elections or a county board of elections, are confidential and shall not be considered public records and subject to disclosure to the general public under Chapter 132 of the General